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SUBJECT: AMERICAN PRISONERS IN SANTA MARTA

REF: (A) MEXICO 5211 (B) STATE 79477

1. CONGRESSMAN ROBERT E. BADHAM INTERESTED.
2. IN EFFORT TO ASSIST EMBASSY IN PINPOINTING PROBLEMS
RAISED REFTEL (B) CONGRESSMAN'S OFFICE STATES INFORMATION
OBTAINED FROM TWO MOOTHERS RECENTLY RETURNED FROM
MEXICO AFTER VISIT TO SANTA MARTA EARLY APRIL. CONGRESSIONAL
OFFICE UNWILLING GIVE NAMES OF PARENTS CONCERNED.
3. MOREOVER, MOTHERS AND CONGRESSMAN RELUCTANT GIVE NAMES OF
ANY OF PRISONERS WHO ALLEGE EXTORTION AS THEY FEARFUL OF
REPRISALS. PROBLEM, HOWEVER, APPEARS TO BE CENTERED IN
DORMITORIES ONE AND TWO.

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4. ADDITIONALLY, OF THE TEN USCIT PRISONERS INTERVIEWED BY
ONE MOTHER, ALL STATED THEY WISHED TO BE KEPT IN CELLS ONLY
WITH AMCITS. MOTHERS WANT TO KNOW WHY THIS CANNOT BE
ACCOMPLISHED. FURTHER, MOTHER OF ONE PRISONER WAS INFORMED
THAT MARIJUANA IS BROUGHT INTO CELLS BY MEXICAN CELL-MATES
AND HIDDEN FROM AUTHORITIES. AS HER SON ONLY HAS A FEW
MONTHS REMAINING OF HIS SENTENCE, HE FEARFUL HE MAY BE

BLAMED FOR HIDDEN NARCOTICS IF FOUND AND HIS SENTENCE
EXTENDED.

5. MOTHER ALSO REFERRED TO EMBASSY'S APPRAISAL OF NEW
DIRECTOR LIC. ALBERTO ANTOLIN. SHE WONDERS WHY SUCH A
DEDICATED PERSON IS, ACCORDING TO HER, REFERRED TO BY THE
AMCIT PRISONERS AS QUOTE MAD DOG UNQUOTE.

6. APPRECIATE POST'S FURTHER COMMENTS.
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